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**EMERGENCIES - 911**  
Police & Fire Dispatch  
Center - 402.441.6000

**WATER-SEWER-ELECTRICAL  
EMERGENCY AFTERHOURS:**  
402.792.2212

**City Office Hours**  
Monday - Friday  
8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
24 Hour Drop Box

**City of Hickman**  
115 Locust Street  
P.O. Box 127  
Hickman, NE 68372  
402.792.2212  
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# City Newsletter: May 2019

## Donate for Fireworks

Hickman Area  
Economic  
Development



Association (HAEDA) is accepting contributions for the fireworks display on July 4th. Checks can be made payable to HAEDA and are requested to be mailed to the Hickman City Office before June 16, 2019.

Help make the fireworks show great again this year!

## HICKMAN READING CENTRE HOURS

115 LOCUST ST.

**TUESDAY & THURSDAY**  
1PM-3PM & 5PM-7PM

**WEDNESDAY** 10AM-2PM  
PRE-SCHOOL STORY TIME 10AM

**SATURDAY** 10AM-2PM

**CLOSED MONDAY, FRIDAY, &  
SUNDAY**

COMPUTER & WI-FI AVAILABLE  
FOR PUBLIC USE  
NO LIBRARY CARD REQUIRED TO  
CHECK OUT BOOKS



## Hickman City Office Holiday Hours

The Hickman City Office will be closed for Memorial Day on Monday, May 27, 2019

## Private Utility Lines are NOT Located when Nebraska811 (Call Before You Dig) is Contacted

### Examples of private utilities are:

- Underground sewer lines between the City's main and the house/building
- Underground water pipes between the City's main and the house/building
- Underground electrical wires between the house/building and the electrical meter
- Lawn sprinkler piping
- Invisible pet fence wires
- Propane lines from the tank to the house or building
- Propane or other lines going to fire pits, BBQs, Pool heaters, etc.

### Private Line Locator Directory

Nebraska811 has a directory of private locators for reference at the following link: <https://www.ne1call.com/resources/private-line-locator-directory/> (Nebraska811 and City of Hickman does not recommend, endorse, or in any way guarantee the services of the companies listed in the directory)

## CLOSE YOUR GARAGE DOOR

The Lancaster County Sherriff would like to remind Hickman citizens to close their garage doors. There has been an increase in thefts in the area and by simply closing your garage door you are reducing access to your property.



## Friendly Reminders for Mowing and Maintaining Your Property.

### Licensing of Vehicles. Removal of Junk and Litter.

This is a *Friendly Reminder* to mow and maintain your property in Hickman and license all vehicles on the property that are not housed in a garage or building. All unlicensed and inoperable vehicles that are not housed inside must be removed from the property along with any junk or litter. We take great pride in our community and want to encourage everyone to be a good neighbor.

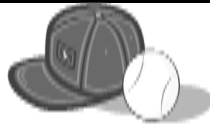
According to Municipal Code Section 3-502, it is declared to be a public nuisance to permit weeds, grasses or worthless vegetation to grow in excess of **10 inches** within the corporate limits of the City.



### SOLICITORS PERMITS ARE REQUIRED IN HICKMAN

Any person (not associated with a nonprofit organization) who is going door to door in Hickman passing out fliers or attempting to make sales of any kind must have a permit issued by the City of Hickman and must carry the permit on them while conducting business in the city. Citizens may request to see the permit from any solicitor and are encouraged to report violations of Municipal Code 5-402 to the City Office 402-792-2212.

### Baseball / Softball Information



Baseball and Softball schedules are on the City of Hickman's website. The website address is [www.hickman.ne.gov](http://www.hickman.ne.gov) and the information can be located under the City Parks & Recreation tab. Notices for cancellations will be available after 3:00 pm on the website and the City of Hickman's Facebook page.



### Spring Upgrades to your Home: Building a Deck, Fence, Shed or Pool?

To ensure building safety, the City of Hickman requires a building permit for many types of home improvement projects. Permit forms are available at the City Office or online at [www.hickman.ne.gov](http://www.hickman.ne.gov) Permits must be approved **before** work begins.



### Hickman Recycling Center

The City's Recycling Facility is located on 2nd Street West of the Railroad Tracks in Hickman's Main Park, Southeast of the Legion Baseball Field.

The following materials are accepted at the recycling site:

Newspapers

Aluminum and Tin

Plastic #1 through #5 containers

Corrugated cardboard and paperboard packaging

Glass bottles and jars

Residential mixed papers

**Help Protect the Environment**



**REMINDER:** Utility bills this month reflect your new annual sewer assessment. The sewer assessment is calculated each year based on the average amount of water billed on the customer's December, January and February billing statements.

(City Ordinance No. 2013-03, Municipal Code Section 7-321)